

EXPENSIVE UNDERTAKING

The So-called Hopkins County Strike Has Cost the Agitators a Large Sum of Money.

SOME VERY FAT PICKINGS.

The Officers of the Organization and Their Lawyers Have Had a Regular Harvest.

The so-called strike that has been in Hopkins county for the past 16 months has been rather a costly thing for all parties concerned. At present we are not able to state what it has cost the coal companies of the county to defend themselves against the men who have been trying by persuasion, by threats and force to organize the mines of the district. The companies interested have made no public statement of the expense incurred by them in trying to protect their property from destruction by others.

The Secretary-Treasurer of district No. 23, United Mine Workers, makes his report of money expended from Oct. 1st, 1900, to Dec. 1st, 1901, a period of fourteen months.

The amount of money spent on the so-called "Hopkins county strikes" was \$105,402.52. Of this \$7,960.50, was for legal services.

The officers and organizers got \$28,295.05 in salaries and expenses.

The "strikers" (?) and "incidental expenses" got \$129,508.72.

From the foregoing report, it seems that there has been some pretty fat pickings for a number of people. During that time, the lawyers have managed to gobble up \$7,960.50 for their services. This is quite a nice little sum that these men have been able to put into their pockets and the pickings have just fairly commenced.

But the officers and organizers have come in for a still larger share. There are not a great many officers, that is as we understand it, but what few there are, with the organizers have managed to make a pretty good thing out of it. The sum of \$28,295.05 for salaries of officers and for those engaged in organizing looks to a common newspaper man to be a monstrous sum, especially when we take into consideration the fact that so little has been accomplished by these men.

Of the sum of \$105,402.52 spent in the work, the lawyers, the officers and organizers got \$35,650.45, or nearly one-fourth the amount sent here for the purpose of organizing men against their wish, for the purpose of keeping up a disturbance in the county. This leaves the sum of \$129,508.72 that has been distributed to the men who have joined the organization and for the purpose of paying other "incidental" expenses, whatever these "incidentals" may be.

This money is raised by a tax that is levied on the miners in counties where the miners are unionized. Every miner is compelled, whether he likes it or not, to contribute to the maintenance of the so-called strike in Hopkins county. He has no choice in the matter, but when pay day arrives, his assessment is kept out and handed over to the fund to be used by the agitators. It may be that the man assessed is poor, his family in need, his pay but little, yet that does not keep him from having to contribute his mite to help

maintain the lawyers, the officers, the organizers and the other "incidentals."

And what good has been accomplished by all this expenditure of money? The mines of Hopkins county are no nearer being organized now than they were 16 months ago. There is not a mine that is not running with a full force of men and orders coming in for coal faster than the order can be filled. Not more than 10 percent of the men who were at work in the mines at the time of the advent of the Mine Workers ever joined the organization, while the places of those who quit work have been filled without the least trouble to the operators. It is a fact that for every man who has thrown up his job, that two men have been ready to fill his vacancy. There is not now a mine in the county but has every man it needs for the successful management of its business.—Glenn's Graphic.

FASTEST TRIP ON RECORD ON L. & N.

L. & N. Runs a Special From St. Louis to St. Augustine, Fla.

At 4:30 o'clock Friday afternoon President Culver, of the Wrought Iron Range Company, of St. Louis, asked for a special train to St. Augustine, Fla., where his daughter was thought to be dying of scarlet fever, and at 5:50 p. m. the train was waiting under the shed at the union station, St. Louis. The special left Union depot at 7:20 p. m. and arrived at Nashville at 2:30 a. m., a distance of 316 miles, making the trip in seven hours at a rate of speed, including all stops, of nearly 50 miles per hour.

President Culver spoke in highest terms of the splendid service given him by the L. & N. and was well pleased with the speed attained. Conductor Geo. Maddox and Engineer Covert, with engine 121, were in charge of the special on the Henderson division.

This Cap Designed for Those It Fits.

One of our merchants met a well-to-do farmer on the street the other day and asked the son of toil for his patronage. The farmer was surprised and said: "I have been taking your town paper ever since it started and never knew you were in business. I look the advertisements over every week and your name is not there, and whenever your name is mentioned it doesn't state that you are in business."

The merchant said he didn't believe in newspaper advertising, but did all his advertising on rocks, fences, bridges, etc., and you have certainly driven along these fences, rocks and over bridges. "Yes," replied the farmer, "and remember they were daubed up with paint, but for the life of me I don't remember that I ever read a one of them. There are so many other things to look at and I don't believe in destroying nature in that manner. If you will send those rocks, rails and bridges to my house I will look them over some evening after I have finished reading the paper and see what you have for sale."—Ex.

KILLED.

Foreign Corporation Tax.

The senate committee of the whole by unanimous action struck from the House Revenue bill the feature proposing a tax of one-eighth of one percent, collected every ten years on the capital of foreign corporations used in the state of Kentucky.

Spanish war veterans at Honolulu have organized Camp Roosevelt.

DOWN IN THE MINES.

Secretary-Treasurer Campbell, of District 23 United Mine Workers, tells where he got the money that was spent in Hopkins county during the fourteen months ending Dec. 1st, 1901.

From the 2 percent assessment on the union miners of District 23.....\$ 29,838.88
From Indiana miners.....27,000.00
From Illinois.....2,631.50
From Alabama.....2,631.50
From the National Board 106,320.00

A total of.....\$105,320.38
As before reported in The Bee, \$105,402.52-100 of this amount was spent by the Secretary-Treasurer and other mine officials and organizers.

Why don't this Secretary-Treasurer report to his members who gave him this large sum of money? How much of it was spent in riding on the railroads? How much was spent in the saloons and sporting houses of Madisonville, Henderson, Evansville, Owensboro, Louisville, Central City and other places? How much was put into houses, stores, farm bank stock and loans by thrifty officials and organizers? How much was lost in gambling houses? How much was spent in liberal payments by checks and otherwise to thrifty spies in Madisonville and Earlinton, whose reports, so highly prized by the officials of the U. M. W. of Central City, were entirely the result of imagination and without the semblance of truth? How much was spent in buying guns and pistols and ammunition with which to shoot out the "scabs," and how many of those guns and pistols were sold to buy food and shoes by the hungry victims to whom they were loaned? How much was stolen by dishonest commissaries? And most important of all, just how much of this great sum of money was spent in buying food and clothing for the women and children of the men who quit work and have depended on brother U. M. W. for support?

Let him tell why the usual railroad route for officials and organizers between Central City and Madisonville was via Owensboro and Henderson, a distance of 140 miles and a cost of \$4.00, instead of via Nortonville, a distance of 30 miles and a cost of \$1.08.

A commercial traveler who added to his railroad expense in that way would be discharged at once, but officials and organizers of the U. M. W. don't care for money—it comes too easy.

Campbell, Mitchell, Wood & Co. spent \$105,402.52-100 in fourteen months in efforts to close up the mines in Hopkins, Christian and Webster counties, with the result as will be shown by the report of the Inspector of Mines of a greater output of coal than ever before: January, February and March of 1901, showing an increased output over the corresponding months of 1900, when the greatest output in the history of these counties was made. The salaries of the above officials were increased at the last convention, in recognition, probably, of their great business (?) ability.

Another cold wave this week has had the effect of keeping the coal business on a boom, and while many of the miners desired a few days rest, they are willing to wait until such time as the coal consumers will quit crying for fuel.

Rumor says that one of the chief agitators who has been following that vocation in this county, has on several occasions, while in company with several more of his pals, improved his opportunity to abuse Roy Blanks of Mortons when alone. Said abuse was taken by Blanks and it became unbearable, and so last Monday, upon a repetition of the vile language, he resented it with blows. This is another instance of the spite held by the U. M. W. against one who dares to do his duty as an officer, a position that Blanks has held for the last year or two most of the time. It was through his intervention that Gabriel Stokes a few months ago escaped with his life, at a time when several of the gang were together, and would undoubtedly have overpowered him only for the timely interference of Blanks.

Foreman J. M. Hagan, of the Hecla mine, while not boasting of the work done there, says his record shows an output of from 12,000 to 15,000 bushels of coal daily, which indicates a fine working force at that place. W. P. Jennings is now bank foreman there and those in a position to know say he is an excellent man for the place, and with the great experience he has had mining, success is assured him.

Several of the Hecla miners, were called to Madisonville last week as witnesses in a case wherein one of their number, after parking too freely of firewater, proceeded to make things unpleasant for his neighbors.

Foreman Carroll, formerly of the Barnesley and Hecla mines, has been placed in charge at the Victoria mine. His reputation as a bank foreman is a good one, and the Victoria managers are to be congratulated upon securing the services of so valuable a man.

Foreman James Fegan seems to have developed into a general overseer of all the mines on the outside. With more than a score of years' experience, there has certainly been no mistake made in the selection of such a man for the position.

At West Liberty, Ky., a stock company representing a capital of \$50,000, has lately been organized to develop oil lands.

Foreman Toombs is busily engaged putting up two cranes at Hecla to be used in the transferring of sulphur. These cranes are self acting and the invention of Mr. Toombs, which has long been regarded as quite a genius.

Machineist D. W. Unstead is longing for a full business, so he can overhaul business now needing attention and which, on account of great rush of coal business the past few months has been postponed.

Grapevine Items.

The recent pretty weather has given a chance for the planting of a few early potatoes, peas, etc.

The four year old child of Will Deas, of the Anton country, died last week and was buried at Old Fellow's cemetery Thursday. Deceased was a nephew of John Slaton of this vicinity.

The funeral of Samuel Bassett last week at this place, was, despite the muddy roads and inclement weather, very largely attended. The floral offerings were beautiful, the grave being literally covered with the finest flowers.

Jessie Barnhill, of near Providence, visited at John Slaton's last week. She was accompanied home Tuesday by her cousin, Agnes Barnhill.

The Sunday school supplies have been received and are ready for distribution. The school will open here the first Sunday in April.

It is an ill wind that blows nobody good, was true of the storms Sarah-a-day night, for it put the private telephone line of this vicinity on the Cumberland line.

There is to be a bachelor-maid sale in this vicinity in the near future which it is hoped will be a boon to the bachelors. They may purchase what they would, otherwise not have the courage to win.

MANAGER ENGLISH, OF PADUCAH.

In a Letter to Manager McGary.

Says: "We played Carpenter's 'Quo Vadis' here Monday, March 10, to a \$1,000 house and early in the season we had Whitney & Knowles' 'Quo Vadis' to a \$500 house.

"There is no comparison between the two. Carpenter's production is the best. I have ever seen and our patrons were more than pleased. To say they have an excellent cast and a beautiful production is putting it mildly, and you can assure your people they never saw a better show like this one and it will please each and every one of them. You will find that all in this company are ladies and gentlemen and thorough artists, and the manager, Mr. Fitzgerald, is one of the nicest men I have ever met."

House Revenue Bill Passed.

The house bill for appropriating \$300 for the building of additional cell rooms and \$10,000 for a fire sprinkler system in the shops of the Eddyville penitentiary came up as a special subject, and without discussion was passed.

Japan will send a warship to participate in the naval demonstration during King Edward's coronation as a mark of rejoicing at the conclusion of the Anglo-Japanese alliance.

DAMAGING FALSEHOOD REFUTED.

Shot a Dog

NEAR THE RESIDENCE OF MR. WALTON.

Stories are being circulated over the county for the evident purpose of injuring Mr. J. B. Lindle, a deputy marshal of Earlinton, who, with another officer, was compelled to kill a dog near the residence of Wm. Walton, on the 11th of March.

Said Walton complained to me that men who said they were officers fired three (3) shots into his house at the time the dog was killed. Investigation proved this to be false in every particular. As Mr. Lindle still has to be tried for the Boxtown shooting, such stories are most infamous. Respectfully,

WILLIAM F. BURE,
Mayor of Earlinton.

ALARMING THE YOUNG MAN.

One Way of Keeping Possible Suitors at a Distance.

It was the second time that the hero of the story had accompanied the young lady home. She asked him if he wouldn't come in. He said he would.

Sarah took his hat, told him to sit down, and left the room. She was hardly gone before her mother came in, smiled sweetly, and dropping down beside the young man, said:

"I always did say that if a poor but respectable young man fell in love with our Sarah, he should have my consent."

"The young man started with alarm."

"She has acknowledged to me that she loves you," continued the mother, "and whatever is for her happiness is for mine."

"I—I haven't," stammered the young man.

"Oh, never mind; make no apology. I know you haven't much money, but, of course, you'll live in my house."

"I had no idea of—" he began.

"I know you hadn't, but it's all right," continued Sarah's mamma, reassuringly. "With your wages and what the boarders will bring in we shall get along as comfortably as possible."

The young man's eyes stood out like hot pegs, and he rose up and tried to say something.

"Never mind about thanks," she cried; "I don't believe in long courtings. The 20th of May is my birthday, and it would be nice for you to be married on that day."

But—but—but," he gasped.

"There, there! I don't expect any reply," she laughed. "I'll try and be a model mother-in-law. I believe I'm good-tempered and kind-hearted, though I did once follow a young man a couple of hundred miles with a broomstick for agreeing to marry my daughter and then backing out of the engagement."

She patted him on the head and sailed out.

And now the young man wants advice. He wants to know whether he had better get in the way of a locomotive or jump off the nearest bridge.—London Tid-Bits.

A Gentle Bluff.

"I shall call mamma if you attempt to kiss me," she said softly. He hesitated and grew pale.

"Mamma is out attending the sewing society," the young lady hastened to explain. Then she cast her eyes demurely down and waited.—Ohio State Journal.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS.

That was a cracker-jack run Jim Riden made on the 121 last Friday night.

Some of the railroad boys are having business and visiting cards printed. Come around and look at our samples. We will take pleasure in showing them.

Engine 775 bursted a flue at Crofton one day last week and had to be towed to Earlinton where she was soon fixed up for the road again.

Mr. W. H. Shaw, who has been day boiler maker at the round house has been changed to night work in M. M. Connor's place.

M. F. Wichner, who has been employed as machinist's helper, has resigned his position and gone to St. Louis where he will work in a chair factory.

P. E. Ginnin, night caller at the round house, has been off a week on account of sickness, but is now back at work.

Ed Tanner, ex-caller at the depot, has gone to Memphis to try and secure work of some kind.

Peter Cooper made a trip on second 95 not long since and it was a record breaker. Peter says he is the right man to put on the high ball runs when fast time is to be made.

P. J. Herb, who has been on through freight for some time, is back in the coal run and is highly pleased with the change. Mr. C. T. Strange, who has been on the coal run, is now on north local and is also pleased with the change.

Frank Linthwaite, who is night engine inspector, has been sick for the past few days with chills. We hope to see him out again soon.

A dispatch from Louisville, Ky., reports that the Monon Company and the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern will jointly build a freight depot between fourteenth and fifteenth streets and Main and Portland avenues.

Mr. F. J. Kimball, chairman of the board of the Norfolk & Western Railway Co., has been elected president to succeed Mr. Henry Fink. It is stated that Mr. Fink retired because of his age and his desire to withdraw from business cares. Mr. L. E. Johnson, general manager, has been elected vice-president. A dispatch from Philadelphia says that the general office of the Norfolk & Western will be removed there from New York.

It is reported that the Louisville & Nashville railroad will establish at Pensacola, Fla., a car-building plant costing about \$200,000. It is also stated that the company will build elevated coal chutes at Flomaton, with bins of 150,000 tons capacity, and a passenger station will be erected at the same point to replace the one recently destroyed by fire.

Operator Lee, who has been night copyist in the dispatcher's office, is one the sick list this week.

Operator Elliott, now doing duty upstairs as copyist for the dispatchers.

Operator Grady is holding the day job at Earlinton down during the absence of Operator Elliott.

Operator Elliott did not go to Mortons as usual last Sunday.

Agent Sharp, of Seelye, went south on No. 51 Monday on a short business trip.

The business on the Henderson Division is being moved promptly and no delay to freight traffic is now occurring.

Conductor J. Sparrow had a nice lot of business cards printed at this office last week. Ask him for one.

The Cadiz railroad was completed Saturday and trains began running regularly this week from Cadiz to Gracely, a distance of ten miles. Work was stopped within a mile of Cadiz about a month ago and this gap was filled in last week.

Why We Go to Church.

Some folks go to church to weep. Others go to nod and sleep. Still others go to tell their woes. And the ladies go to show their clothes.

A few to listen to the preacher. And some to hear the solo singer. The boys go to reconnoitre.

The girls, because they think they are good for good reflections. But precious few to help collections.

Subscribe for THE BEE.

SPECIAL TRAIN

From Mortons Gap and Madisonville to Earlington.

On Tuesday evening, March 25th, a special will be run to Earlington from Mortons Gap and Madisonville on account of the great scenic and well attraction "Quo Vadis," at the Temple Theatre.

Train will leave Mortons Gap at 7:10 and Madisonville at 7:35, and will not return until after the show.

Round trip tickets, 25c. For tickets of admission to the performance see Ira Parish, of Madisonville, and Will Kimmons, of Mortons Gap.

A Mistake.

Elsewhere in this paper is an item saying that all the seats have been sold for "Quo Vadis" at the Temple Tuesday night. This is a mistake, and there are plenty of good seats left. Don't fail to come, for there will be plenty of seats.

PERSONAL

Miss Nannie Wilkie, of Nortonville, is visiting Mrs. Withers, of this place.

Mrs. Dan Evans and Mrs. F. B. Arnold were in Madisonville Thursday.

Miss Artie Whitfield is visiting her sister, Mrs. El Rule, this week.

Mr. Martin, of The Bee force, was in Madisonville Monday.

The latest line of cut flowers ever brought to this market. You will need some for Easter. Don't forget the place. The Bon Ton Bakery.

Mr. Wm. McCarley has returned home after an extended visit to his daughter in Morganfield.

Mr. J. E. Maloney went to providence Sunday to see his best girl.

Mrs. N. J. Toombs and Miss Nettie Toombs were in Madisonville Monday.

Look at the cut flowers in the window at the Bon Ton Bakery. They are beauties.

Miss Louisa Stoghill and Mr. L. Ryne were in Hanson Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Day was in Madisonville Monday.

Mr. Ben Ashby and Mr. Ray, of Madisonville, were in the city Sunday attending the Y. M. C. A. meeting.

Mr. P. Moore is off on a short business trip.

Easter will soon be here, and so will the choice allotment of cut flowers arranged by Mrs. M. B. Long.

Hop Holman, wife and child, of Madisonville, spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Victory Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harlan and Mrs. J. M. Victory were in Madisonville Monday visiting friends.

Miss Nettie Ranney, of Beaver Dam, is visiting Miss Maude Edmonson.

Miss Maude Edmonson, one of Earlington's most charming young ladies, has returned from an extended visit to Beaver Dam.

Mrs. M. B. Long can supply you with cut flowers for Easter. Call on her.

Miss Nellie Carlin attending the Epworth League meeting Sunday night.

Miss Margie Whitfield is visiting Miss Vergie Rule this week.

Charlie Curtis was in Madisonville Wednesday.

Mrs. Jeff Murphy went to Madisonville Wednesday.

J. T. Shank, of Madisonville, paid the Bee a pleasant call Tuesday.

Mrs. P. M. Moore was in Evansville Wednesday.

Leave your orders for Easter cut flowers with Mrs. M. B. Long at the Bon Ton Bakery.

Mrs. Gilliam, of Crofton, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Tobe Long, for some time, has been quite sick, but is now recuperating.

Miss Annie Royster, of Madisonville, is visiting the family of Mrs. Fenwick.

ELI PERKINS.

The Only Original Eli There Eli.

Will lecture at Temple Theatre on April 3d, for the benefit of the Methodist church. The price of admission is only fifty cents, and this famous humorist should be greeted by a full house. Next week's Bee will contain a cut of Eli Perkins and full advertisement for the coming lecture. Don't forget the date, April 3, at Temple Theatre.

Unprofessional people give advice, but professional people sell it.

Effects of a big feast are almost as bad as effects of a big drink.

SHORT LOCALS.

Contractor M. McCord has closed a contract with the St. Bernard Mining Co. to remodel the front of their mammoth store at this place. The greatest and most important change in the new improvement will be making two separate entrances, one for the dry goods department and the other for the grocery side. Both of which on account of their greatly increased trade have been seriously needed for a long time.

J. M. Victory has a nice line of Easter novelties.

Mrs. Sarah Young, of Madisonville, who is visiting Mrs. Elgie Hibbs, had the misfortune to fall on the street while returning from church last Sunday, dislocating her shoulder. The accident was painful and will confine her to the bed for some time.

Ladies, you are cordially invited to attend Miss Georgia Bishop's opening of French pattern hats March 26 and 27.

The Rev. Watson preached at the Southern Methodist church on Sunday and Sunday night to large, attentive audiences. Bro. Watson is a Cumberland Presbyterian preacher of great force and power and there have been a great many favorable comments made on his work, and we understand an effort is being made to secure his services at this place on two Sundays in the month, which we hope will be successful.

Buy your wall paper of Coenen Bros. Tel. 26-3.

The Y. M. C. A. will meet at the Christian church next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, instead of 3, as in the past. A large attendance of men and boys is requested. Come out; the service will be a benefit to you.

Ladies, remember March 26 and 27 is Miss Georgia Bishop's opening of the prettiest and largest line of pattern hats ever brought to Madisonville.

Fireman Hollingsworth, of this place, was killed at Guthrie by a train Wednesday about noon.

Not a Minute to Lose

If you are wet and feel chilled to the bone, after a tramp through a storm. Get into dry clothes at once and warm your insides with a teaspoonful of Peppermint Paraffin, in hot water, with a little sugar. Thus you will avoid a cold, and, possibly, a long sickness. The precaution is worth while. There is but one Peppermint Paraffin, Perry Davis'.

Assured Health By Natural Means.

If you are sick call at my office. No matter of what disease, nor how long standing, and you will most likely obtain information of value to you. I cure people all manner of disease without medicine or surgery. Consultation free.

PROF. ALP. H. JONES, Denton Hotel.

TO THE AFFLICTED.

We wish to add our testimonial to that of many others who have used our Native Herbs. It is the best Kidney, Liver and Blood Purifier known to us. It is sold under a guarantee to do as recommended or money refunded.

Mrs. C. E. Morton, Mrs. J. L. Hill, John Simms, John G. B. Hall, Mrs. G. W. Fogley, Agent, For sale at G. W. Fogley's store, 3-4-3mos Madisonville, Ky.

The more a spinster sees of men the better she likes cats.

One convincing proof of good citizenship is the prompt payment of your bills.

Time steals on without fear of arrest, but the man who steals often has to do time.

Reduced Rates to the West.

Commencing March 1 and daily thereafter, until April 30, 1903 the Wisconsin Central Ry. will sell "Sotlers" tickets from Chicago to points in Montana, Idaho, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, at greatly reduced rates. For detailed information inquire of nearest ticket agent, or address T. D. Campbell, D. P. A., 215 Pike Building, Cincinnati, O., or Jas. C. Pond, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis.

Usually a girl isn't afraid of an armed man.

It's a long race track that doesn't separate a fool from his coin.

A man feels lonesome when he is in the company of people who never make mistakes.

Sourvenir Fiend at Buffalo.

The souvenir fiend was at Buffalo in full force "lifting" everything that was movable. The two palms between which President McKinley stood when he was shot have been stripped and the chair in which he was placed clipped and mutilated.

THIN HAIR

Lots of people have thin hair. Perhaps their parents had thin hair; perhaps their children have thin hair. But this does not make it necessary for them to have thin hair.

One thing you may rely upon—

AYER'S Hair Vigor

makes the hair healthy and vigorous; makes it grow thick and long. It cures dandruff also.

It always restores color to gray hair,—all the dark, rich color of early life. There is no longer need of your looking old before your time.

\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

"As a remedy for restoring color to the hair I believe Ayer's Hair Vigor has no equal. It has always cured every case of partial baldness in every way."—Dr. A. L. Briggs, Aug. 15, 1896, Hallowoodport, N.Y.

Write the Doctor.

He will send you a book on "The Hair and Scalp" free of charge. If you do not desire it, let him know. He will send you the book about it.

Dr. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

Confederate Veterans Reunion at Dallas.

The Cotton Belt is the shortest route to Dallas, Texas, and this company's tracks run in front of the main entrance to the fair grounds where the reunion will be held.

All trains will stop at the fair grounds which will be quite convenient for those visiting the reunion, which takes place April 15th to 20th. Any one desiring further information on this subject can have it by writing to F. R. Wyatt, traveling passenger agent Cotton Belt Route, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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SPRING OPENING

March 27, 28.

Thursday and Friday.

THE showing and displaying of the new designs and pretty neat effects, in which we seem to have outdone ourselves this season, will not be the most attractive part of our opening. We are going to put on sale some great values for these days only. Genuine bargains never found in ordinary merchandising.

One Thousand Belts

Worth 50c., 75c. and \$1. In this lot you will find Black Satin, Black Morocco, Kid Lined, White Kid, Red Morocco, Black Seal; some with drop-front effect, Fancy Buckles, Harness Buckles, almost every kind of Belt known to the trade. Not one worth less than 50c., over half of them 75c. and \$1, all go at

Opening Price, 25c.

200 Belts, worth 25c., Opening Price, 18c.

50 Dozen Ladies' Fine Embroidered White Handkerchiefs

Not a Handkerchief in the lot worth less than 18c., most of them 25c. This will be your opportunity to get your summer supply.

Opening Price, 11c.

100 doz. Ladies' Fast Black Drop-Stitch and Lace Lisle Hose.

No matter what your fancy, you will find Hose in this lot that will suit you.

Opening Price 17c., or 3 Pair for 50c.

75 doz. Ladies' Snow White Fine Ribbed Silk Taped Vests, worth 10 to 12 1-2c., Opening Price, 5c.

85 doz. Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers,

All sizes, 30 to 44, forty gauge, silk-taped, 50c. quality.

Opening Price, 31c.

A Number One Good Fur Hat, Crease Crown, Medium Brim, Suitable for Anybody, Cheap at \$1.00.

Opening Price, 53c.

All of our 12 1/2c. Gingham; Opening Price, 10c.
All of our 12 1/2c. Percales; Opening Price, 10c.
All of our Calicoes, Opening Price, 4c.
Good Brown Domestic, opening price 4c.
Clark's O. N. T. Thread; Opening Price, 3 spools for 10c.

25c. White Table Linen; Opening Price, 20c.
50c. Table Linen, 68 inches wide; Opening Price, 36c.
75c. Table Linen, 72 inches wide; Opening Price, 48c.
\$1.25 Table Linen, Satin Damask Center, 72 inches wide; Opening Price 98c.

WE HAVE already announced that on account of our Big Clothing Scoop, through the assignment of Nathan Bros., we are able to save you 35 per cent. on all your Clothing.

IN ADDITION to the above, we still have several hundred pair of Shoes and Slippers of the Pritchett Stock, which we are selling at one-fourth off.

WE GUARANTEE every item advertised to be new Spring Goods, manufactured for this season's trade, and they will be sold as advertised on the days mentioned.

For the benefit of some of our out of town customers who may not be able to get to town until Saturday, we will let these prices hold good through SATURDAY, MARCH 29.

Durbin & McLeod

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MADISONVILLE, KY.

Church Directory.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Sunday-school at 9:30. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evenings at 7:30. Regular services second and fourth Sunday morning and evening. Elder J. W. Mitchell, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services first Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and third Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Class meetings, second and fourth Sundays at 4 p. m. E. B. Timmons, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—B. M. Currie, pastor. Services first Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and third Sunday at 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday evenings at 7:30 o'clock. Epworth League, every Sunday evening at 6:30. Also one Literary meeting each month with some member. The Woman's Missionary Society Saturday

day afternoon before first Sunday.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching the second and third Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Church meeting Saturday night before the third Sunday. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting every Monday night at 7:30.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. A. M. Coenen, pastor. First Mass, Sunday morning at 7 o'clock; Second Mass, 9:30 o'clock. Afternoon service at 2:30 every Sunday.

GENERAL BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. Jno. M. Burden, pastor. Services third Saturday night, Sunday School every Sunday afternoon. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—H. L. Regular services second Sabbath in each month, and Sunday night before; prayer meeting Wednesday nights; Sunday school

each Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Rev. G. E. Thompson, Pastor.

The Ill Wind

That blows nobody good, is bent on errands of mischief in the fall and winter. It produces that most dangerous of common complaints a bad cold. Your cold will not become bronchitis, nor consumption if you make timely use of Allen's Lung Balm. Take it frequently until the cough and the stopped-up feeling in the chest are gone. Contains optimum and will not disturb digestion.

DR. W. J. LAMB, SPECIALIST.

Eye, Nose and Throat. Office in Hog Eye Hotel, MADISONVILLE, KENTUCKY.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

Indictment Returned Against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. Louisville.

THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY FOUND IT.

The alleged offense consists in the charging of less for cars in carload lots than the Interstate Commerce Law prescribes.

Louisville, Ky., March 19.—An indictment returned against the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. by the federal grand jury has been made public. It charges a violation of the interstate commerce law, the offense consisting in the road charging less for the transportation of corn in carload lots than the interstate commerce law prescribes.

There are two counts in the bill which set forth that, on November 14, 1901, the Louisville & Nashville and the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroads, operating as common carriers through the states of Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama, and into Georgia, made a rate to St. Louis of this city, on 40,000 pounds of corn, shipped to Atlanta from Louisville by the roads named. This rate made the total freight charge on this lot \$974.40, when it should have been \$1,123.60.

The difference or rebate amounted to three cents, being 21 cents, when it should have been 24 cents.

The other counts set forth that, on the same date, on another lot of 64,000 pounds, shipped by the same roads to Atlanta, a total freight charge of \$1,177.60 was made, when it should have been \$1,314.10, this also being a three-cent rebate.

The witnesses named in the indictment are H. P. Smith, A. S. Dodge, J. P. Washburn, of the Southeastern & Mississippi Valley Tariff association; Fred W. Hudson, traffic manager of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis; Joseph A. Bushfield and John S. Greene.

HOBOKEN DOCKS BURNED.

Fears That the Lives of a Number of "Longshoremen" and Others Have Been Lost.

New York, March 18.—The pier of the Phoenix line in Hoboken was destroyed by fire tonight. The steamship British Queen was on the pier, and several lighters were burned. The fire threatened the Campbell's stores, and for a time it looked as if the flames would reach the Home American line docks. The Maasdam, of the Holland line, was towed out into the stream. Men who were on the docks and on the British Queen when the fire started, assert that there were many lives lost. They said that "longshoremen" were imprudent in leaving the ship, and that some sailors in the forecastle of the British Queen did not get out.

SMALLPOX IN NEBRASKA.

Seven Hundred and Sixty-Four Cases Reported—Appeal to the Marine Hospital Service.

Lincoln, Neb., March 18.—Following a decision of the state board of health, at which it was announced that there were 764 smallpox cases in the state, the secretary of the board was ordered to communicate with the federal authorities as to the best means of stamping out the disease. It was decided to telegraph the marine hospital service to send a special messenger to Nebraska.

WAR REVENUE TAX REPEAL.

The Senate Committee on Finance Authorities a Favorable Report on the Bill.

Washington, March 19.—The senate committee on finance concluded the consideration of the bill repealing the war revenue tax, and authorized a favorable report on it. The bill is greatly changed in phraseology and it is announced that it will probably not be in shape to be reported before Wednesday.

BOER LAGER CAPTURED.

Gen. Bruce Hamilton Makes a Small Capture East of Vryheid, Eastern Transvaal.

Pretoria, Monday, March 18.—Gen. Bruce Hamilton has captured a small Boer lager eastward of Vryheid, southeastern Transvaal. Four Boers were killed, six were wounded, and 17 were made prisoners. Gen. Bruce's brother-in-law, Gen. Emmett, was among the Boers captured.

Chinese Exclusion Bill.

Washington, March 19.—Chairman Pitt of the house committee on foreign affairs has designated Representative Perkins, William A. Smith and Champ Clark to perfect the details of the Chinese exclusion bill as heretofore agreed upon in a general way by the committee. When this work is done the bill will be reported to the house.

Gov. of Maryland.

Princeton, N. J., March 18.—Former President Grover Cleveland, who is now the only living ex-president of the United States, was 55 years of age today.

OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.

Ten thousand persons participated in a riot at St. Petersburg, Monday, and about 100 arrests were made.

The Missouri river is nearly dry at Chamberlain, S. D., as the result of an ice gorge. Fears of great damage are entertained.

Gaylor and Greene, defendants in the conspiracy cases at Savannah, Ga., are still in Canada, and the trial is postponed until the May term.

Marconi has obtained permission from the Canadian government to erect a wireless telegraph station at Cape Breton, and expects to establish communication with England by next June.

The steamship Rhein arrived at New York with smallpox on board, and 2,200 immigrants were delayed by the inevitable quarantine.

The British admiralty has given up all hope of finding the British ship of war Conqueror, which sailed from Victoria, B. C., last December, with 130 men.

Brig-Gen. Fred Funston dined with president and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House Monday night.

A delegation of British workmen will visit the United States this summer at the expense of Alfred Messerly, who will also be accompanied by a commission of election experts.

Byron Nelson, six years old, son of Charles Nelson, was instantly killed at Sycamore, Ill., by being run over by a delivery wagon. The driver got away and was not apprehended.

As a result of taking an overdose of laudanum, Miss Amanda Rankin, aged 47 years, is dead at the home of her brother, Warren Rankin, in Greenville, Ill.

Fire completely destroyed the fine residence of Mr. John Spelmeyer in Waterloo, Ill. A fierce wind was blowing, and all efforts to save the house were rendered fruitless.

Henry Maibes, an employee of the coal mines at Trenton, Ill., drank a half-wineglass of muriatic acid and suffered horrible agony, but prompt medical attention and a syphon saved his life.

C. E. Maddox, of Marshall, Mo., has sold to Frank E. Live-stock agent of the Missouri Pacific, a fine matched team of mares for \$2,000. They were purchased for Miss Helen Gould.

David D. Walker, president of the Felt Walker Dry Goods Co., will retire from active business on June 1, after fifty years spent in commercial pursuits in St. Louis.

David Mitchell celebrated his one hundred and first birthday, at Lincoln, Ill., Monday. He was born in County Mayo, Ireland, on St. Patrick's day, 1801, and is as hale and hearty as many men of half his age.

President Diaz of Mexico has ordered that one of the Mexican army military bands and a detachment of rurales, the picturesque and dashing cavalry police of the sister republic, be detailed as the proper time for service at the St. Louis World's fair.

Miss Stone's Thanks.

Salonica, March 17.—A representative here of the press has received a letter from Miss Stone, the American missionary, in which she expresses her surprise and gratitude at the universal manifestation of joy at the release of herself and Mme. Tsilika. Miss Stone also conveys her heartfelt thanks to all those who, by their labor, their money and their prayers, co-operated to the release of herself and companion.

Cocoa Butter Plant Burned.

Philadelphia, March 15.—The refining of that city, the India Refining Co., manufacturers of cocoa butter, was destroyed by fire Friday morning. There were 100,000 pounds of oil in the building. Loss, \$60,000; fully insured.

Has Nearly Finished His Job.

Berlin, March 19.—The portrait painter, M. Ferrari, who was recently summoned from New York by cable to paint a portrait of Emperor William, has nearly finished his picture, which is life sized and full length.

THE MARKETS.

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CATTLE—Native Steers	4 15	4 15
CATTLE—Foreign	4 15	4 15
CATTLE—Winter Wheat	1 10	1 10
CATTLE—No. 2 Yellow	52 1/2	52 1/2
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THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1902.

Is the beginning God created the heavens and the earth, and after a reasonable length of time had elapsed he created the editor and the liberal advertiser and the prompt paying subscriber, all of which work was exceedingly good. The next day it snowed and he moulded a man who does not believe in advertising and one who does not take his county paper—then he rested from his work, and the devil sneaked into the moulding room and made the man who takes the paper for years and then refuses to pay for it although he well knows the editor of this same paper is subsisting on sassafras root tea and corn bread and his numerous offspring have not enough wearing apparel to make a necktie for a June bug. After he had completed this lamentable job there were a few lumps left and he fashioned that something in the form of a man who settles the arrears due the overworked editor by instructing the postmaster to mark his paper "refused."

Why Did They Abandon Pompeii?

At a period when newspaper discussions were rather rapid, despite the accredited appearance of the sea serpent and the arrival of the large potato Max Nordan in an Austrian journal propounded a problem that should lead to useful inquiry:

Why was it that the inhabitants of Pompeii did not return to their homes after the destruction of the city?

Of the 30,000 inhabitants a few hundreds at most seem to have lost their lives. The eruption of Vesuvius lasted only a few days. The deposit of lava and ashes was not very thick.

The houses might have been easily repaired.

Many of them stand to this day. They were beautiful houses, many of them, richly appointed and containing valuables of great price. Had the Pompeians no love of home, or were they too superstitious, or did their terror at the eruption make them believe the disaster might come again?

Origin of a Joke.

Dr. Flinders Petrie, the eminent archaeologist, announces that he has deciphered the cuneiform inscription on a tablet he excavated in the plains of Assyria, and believes that it is a copy of a prehistoric comic paper. Among other items, it contained the following merry jest, which shears a strangely familiar sound: "Now, there were gathered together at the place of the telling of stories, many of them that have lived long in the land, and one of them lifted up his voice, and said:

"Behold, it groweth cold with extremeness."

"Whereupon another made answer, saying:

"Verily, it doth. But let us separate and get hence, for here cometh Methusalem, the aged, and if we tarry he will even tell us again of the cold spell of the year 40."

"And they got hence with much speed."—Baltimore American.

A Hole in His Pocket.

The average man loses a lot of money out at the hole in the top of his pocket.—Chicago Daily News.

An Old Fashioned Wedding.

Last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of D. B. Griffin, occurred an old fashioned wedding of the like of which has not been seen in this county for several years.

The contracting parties were Walter Cox and Miss Mollie Griffin, Rev. John Burden performing the ceremony.

After the wedding the young couple were given a supper by the bride's father and the tables were loaded down with good things to eat and drink. There were forty-eight guests to partake of this repast and a happier, jollier crowd never gathered together.

The groom is an employee of the St. Bernard Mining Company and the bride is a daughter of D. B. Griffin, one of Earlinton's well known citizens. The Bee extends hearty congratulations and wishes them success in life.

Good Advice.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than 75 per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects, such as Sour stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Constipation, Palpitation of the Heart, Heartburn, Waterbrash, Grawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Sold by St. Bernard Druggist. Get Green's Special Almanac.

Death and Taxes.

Some interesting horse owner has a horse named Death and he is winning every race in the city. The next thing in order will be for some one to introduce an animal with the significant name of Taxes and match it against Death, then there will be a race worth seeing.

A Printer Greatly Surprised.

"I never was so much surprised in my life as I was with the results of using Chamberlain's Pain Balm," says Henry T. Crook, Postman of the Asheville, (N. C.) Gazette. "I contracted a severe case of rheumatism early last winter by getting my feet wet. I tried several things for it without benefit. One day while looking over the Gazette, I noticed that Pain Balm was positively guaranteed to cure rheumatism. So I bought a bottle of it and before using two-thirds of it my rheumatism had taken its flight and I have not had a rheumatic pain since." Sold by St. Bernard Druggist, Earlinton; E. F. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Geo. King, St. Charles.

A Fault of Charity.

"Hit's all right for charity to begin at home," says Brother Dickey, "but hit happens too frequent dat she makes up her mind to stay dar!"—Atlanta Constitution.

"Well, Whirley, did you find that the divine young creature returned your love?" "Yes, just as soon as I offered it to her."—London Tit-Bits.

Repairing Neatly Done

Never thought of such a sign for a medicine did you? Well, it's a good sign.

Scott's Emulsion. The best medicine to be repaired like other things and Scott's Emulsion is the medicine that does it.

These poor bodies wear out from worry, from over-work, from disease. They get thin and weak. Some of the new ones are not well made—and all of the old ones are racked from long usage.

Scott's Emulsion fixes all kinds. It does the work both inside and out. It makes soft bones hard, thin blood red, weak lungs strong, hollow places full. Only the best materials are used in the patching and the patches don't show through the new glow of health.

No one has to wait his turn. You can do it yourself—you and the bottle.

This picture represents the Trade Mark of Scott's Emulsion. It is a fish in a wrapper of every kind. Send for free sample.

SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St. New York City. Sold by Dr. J. H. Griffin, Earlinton.

MAPLE SUGAR SCARCE

WHY THE PRICE OF THE GENUINE ARTICLE IS HIGH.

Not So Much Produced as in Former Years—Last Year's Supply Already Exhausted—Imitations Flavored With Hickory Chips.

This is the season when the maple sugar maker gathers up his pots and pails, and armed with auger and spigots, invades the sugar bush to gather the spring harvest of delicious sirup and sugar. For some years the crop of this favorite sweet has been waning, and whereas ten or twelve years ago the annual production amounted to 25,000 tons, 5,000 is now the average. This, of course, means a considerable increase in cost to the consumer.

Makers and dealers declare that the price of maple sirup this year will be much higher than last. This is in part due to the fact that there is little or none of last year's crop in stock and that this year's sugar making season will be unusually short owing to the recent long period of cold weather.

Vermont is the great maple sugar making state, and Ohio is the next largest producer. Considerable quantities are also made in northern New York, and it is said that the production there is increasing. Other states along the northern border of the country produce more or less, but the quantity is insignificant when compared with the aggregate output of the states named.

Maple sugar is made from the sap of the sugar, or hard maple tree. It is known by various names, but in northern New England it is called rock maple.

The sap of the maple is obtained by boring in the trunk a hole about five-eighths of an inch in diameter and two and a half inches deep two or three feet from the ground. At the beginning of the season the trees are tapped on the south or east sides because the

sun is warmer there and the sap flows more freely. Later the buckets are shifted to the other sides.

After the holes are bored a galvanizd iron spout is driven in. This spout is furnished with a hook on which the buckets are hung. The buckets are usually of bright tin, and most of them are provided with covers to keep out leaves and bits of bark.

It takes about seven or eight quarts of sap, on an average, to make a pound of sugar, and an average tree yields six pounds. It varies, however, the location of the tree having an important influence on the proportion of sugar in the sap. For instance, a tree near a brook yields more sap but less sugar than one standing on a dry knoll.

The sap is gathered by means of large casks or holders fastened to a sled, drawn by oxen or horses. It is then taken to the boiling house, usually in the center of the orchard, where it is placed in shallow evaporating pans. These are arranged with alternate divisions which run nearly across the pans, thus forming a long course extending in a zigzag line the whole length of the evaporator. The sap runs in slowly at the upper end and runs out sirup at the lower.

Improved evaporators have a cover and are self skimming, two features which practically eliminate all impurities. If the maker is selling his product as sirup, he reduces it to a weight of ten or eleven pounds to the gallon. When making dry sugar, the sirup is placed in the sugaring off pans, where it is boiled until it will grain. If the sirup is to be made into bricks, it is boiled a little longer than if intended for dry sugar.

Vermont has established a maple sugar exchange, which has secured legislation to prevent adulteration, and the practice has been pretty generally stamped out. Every pound of sugar and every quart of sirup which has the exchange brand must conform to a test of saccharine quality and must be absolutely correct in color and flavor.

The worst competitor of the maple sugar industry is an artificial sugar made in some western states. This is a decoction of ordinary brown sugar and hickory chips boiled together.

To those living in malarial districts Tut's Pills are indispensable, they keep the system in perfect order and are an absolute cure for sick headache, indigestion, malaria, torpid liver, constipation and all bilious diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills

Struck by a Train

T. C. Scott was struck by No. 63, a south bound freight train last night near No. 11 mine. He was sitting on the tract and had evidently been asleep. He was badly bruised and cut and is in a critical condition. Drs. Giamon, Sisk and Johnson attended his injuries. He was moved to his home from the operating room and was resting well when last heard from. Druggist Trahern was with the physicians during the operation of dressing the wounds and made himself especially useful afterward.

Foley's Hazy and Tar

Cures coughs and colds. Cures bronchitis and asthma. Cures croup and whooping cough. Cures hoarseness and bronchial troubles. Cures pneumonia and la grippe. Sold by John X. Taylor.

The Supreme Court upheld the Illinois State law imposing a fine of \$10 to \$1,000 for selling "futures."

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

If you want a first-class, guaranteed job of papering, telephone 20-3.

Max O'Rell will settle down in Paris as leading editorial writer of the Figaro.

Cough Settled as Her Lung

"My daughter had a terrible cough which settled on her lungs," says N. Jackson, of Danville, Ill. "We tried a great many remedies without relief until we gave her Foley's Hazy and Tar which cured her." Refuse substitutes. Sold by John X. Taylor.

It is said that a clever mind reader once read a woman's mind—but was unable to understand it.

The Best Prescription for Malaria

Chills and Fever in a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. No cure, no pay. Price 50c.

The more conspicuously the jewel of consistency is worn the more likely it is to be paste.—Indianapolis News.

Raw or Indem Lung

Yield rapidly to the wonderful curative and healing qualities of Foley's Hazy and Tar. It prevents pneumonia and consumption from a hard cold settled on the lungs. Sold by John X. Taylor.

If the donkey knew he was a donkey he would probably kick himself to death.—Chicago Daily News.

Lagrippe coughs yield quickly to the wonderful curative qualities of Foley's Hazy and Tar. There is nothing else "just as good." Sold by John X. Taylor.

Blanks 4c 1500 per roll, Ingrains 15c to 85c, 1 Art Nouveau 20c to 150c, Fleeters, Silks, etc., at all prices. All goods in stock. CORNEX BROS., TEL. 20-3.

There is no cloud attached to the silver lining of the fat purse.—Chicago Daily News.

We pay \$30 per week and expenses for men or women with rigs to introduce our Poultry Mixture and Insect Destroyer in the country. Address, EXCELSIOR Food Co., Parsons, Kan.

If Cupid would drop his bow and arrows and get a gun we might hear of more marriages.

Success—Worth Knowing.

Forty years ago in the South proved Hughes' Tonic a great remedy for Chills and all Malarial Fevers. Better than Calomel and Quinine. Guaranteed to cure. Guaranteed to try it. At Druggists. 50c. and \$1.00 bottles.

The will of William H. West, the minstrel, disposes of an estate worth half a million dollars.

At all druggists. The best known remedy for coughs and colds. Does not nauseate or purge. Price 25c each.

Advertised Letters.

Earlington, Ky., March 19, 1902.
Arnold, John. Bryant, Cornelius
Clark, Hattie Hill, Lizzie
Johnson, Miss C. Miller, Julia
Williams, Chas. Walchal, Fred
Turpin, Fannie
Slughter, C. Robison, J. B.
Rhodes, Joseph Phil, Henrietta
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Your best route to Dallas will be via Memphis. The Cotton Belt Express carries trains twice a week from Memphis to Dallas and other Texas cities without charge. These trains leave Memphis, morning and evening, after the arrival of telegrams at all times, thus ensuring you close connection and swiftest service.

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We would like to have your order for any kind of a rig you may need. We would like to show you how promptly and satisfactorily we can serve you.

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The Sun Tea Barnery is the Place to Go.

AMERICANS IN ENGLAND.

They Will Shortly Have a Club in London the Equal of Any in the United States.

DESIGNED TO FILL A LONG-FELT WANT.

It Will Be the Most Expensive Club in England, the Entrance Fee Being Fifty Pounds—Ladies Will Be Allowed the Privileges of Certain Rooms.

London, March 16.—The report that Americans will shortly have a London club equal in exclusiveness and permanence to any of the leading clubs in the United States, is confirmed. An influential Anglo-American committee has been formed for the purpose of arranging all the details and getting the organization ready prior to the coronation of King Edward. Among the committee are Lord Kintore, Southey, Craven and Marcus Beresford. Maj. Gen. Sir Reginald Pole-Carew, Anthony Drexel and Reginald D. Ward. Other prominent men, both British and American, are expected to join the organizing body in the near future. The club's name will probably be the Columbia, and its quarters will be in a large building now occupied by the Avondale hotel, Grosvenor, near St. James street. The object is to afford Americans, who are barred by their nationality from several leading London clubs, a social headquarters in the British capital such as they have at home. Ladies will be allowed the privilege of admission to certain rooms, including the dining room. When started this will be the most expensive club in England, the entrance fee, £50, being more than the fee asked by any English club.

Any members of the leading American organizations, such as the Union and Knickerbocker, who reside in New York; the Somerset club, of Boston; and the Metropolitan club, of Washington, will be admitted without ballot, for temporary members. To quote one of the founders of the club: "It will be a club de luxe, where the American of good social standing can feel as much at home as they would at the Metropolitan club, of New York, and yet have the opportunity of meeting the nicest people in England on equal terms." Only a few weeks ago one of the oldest English clubs passed a by-law prohibiting Americans from becoming members.

TREASON COURT DISBANDED.

Persons charged with Treason in Natal, Will in Future, be Tried by Court Martial.

Durban, Natal, March 16.—The civil treason court has been disbanded. Hereafter, persons charged with treason will be tried by court-martial. Of the estimated 800 rebels in Natal, 500 have been tried and sentenced. The remainder are in "ten years' imprisonment," and the fines to which convicted men were also sentenced amount, in some cases, to as high as £25,000.

Given Up as a Bad Job.

Washington, March 16.—After having spent something like \$11,000,000, an effort to preserve and improve the Missouri river as a navigable stream, the government, so far at least as the house committee on rivers and harbors is concerned, has decided to give it up as a bad job.

Half the Town Burned.

Hastings, Neb., March 17.—Fire yesterday destroyed nearly half the town of Hastings. It started in a billiard hall, and in an hour, with a terrific wind blowing, burned the billiard hall, newspaper office, blacksmith shop, post office, hardware store, drug store and hotel.

King Edward's First Court.

London, March 16.—The first court of the present reign, which took place at Buckingham palace, Friday, was a gorgeous spectacle, no less than 800 presentations taking place. Rain spoiled the function from the sightseer's point of view.

Fought a Fatal Duel.

Reno, Nev., March 17.—Euse Evans and A. Smith fought a duel with Winchester, at eight feet distance Saturday at night. Each received injuries from which death resulted. The quarrel was over a strip of almost worthless land.

Ambassador Writes to Berlin.

Berlin, March 17.—With expressions of regret the newspapers here print a dispatch from Washington to the effect that Andrew D. White, the American ambassador to Germany, will retire next November.

Famous Old Penitentiary.

Frankfort, Ky., March 15.—Gen. T. Garrard, of Manchester, patriarch of the Kentucky mountain feudists and chief of the Baker-White faction, died at his home in Clay county, Friday, after a protracted illness.

Commemorative Medals.

New York, March 16.—Medals of bronze for all the sailors on the Kaiser's yacht Hohenzollern are to be presented to Admiral von Tirpitz by the German Kruggerbund at this city in commemoration of the yacht's visit.

Uncle Sam Wants Boys.

St. Louis, March 16.—Fifty thousand boys are wanted by Uncle Sam to man his war vessels that are now working short handed, and a naval recruiting station has been opened in this city.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

In the senate, on the 15th, after the reading of several messages, the consideration of the ship subsidy bill was resumed. Mr. Berry (Ark.) made a speech in support of the bill, and was answered by Mr. McPherson (Cal.) who was in opposition to the bill, maintaining that it did not in the least benefit the country. In the house, the general debate on the bill was resumed, and the bill was closed, and consideration of it deferred to the 16th. No amendments were adopted.

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In the senate, on the 17th, the ship subsidy bill was passed by a vote of 42 to 31. In the house, on the 17th, the bill was passed by a vote of 100 to 75. The bill was then sent to the president for his signature. The bill provides for the construction of a new ship, and for the purchase of a new ship, and for the sale of a new ship. The bill also provides for the construction of a new ship, and for the purchase of a new ship, and for the sale of a new ship.

GIVEN UP AS LOST AT SEA.

The Books of the British Ship Condon, which were found in the wreck of the ship, were found in the wreck of the ship.

HEAVY ORDER FOR HORSES.

A St. Joseph (Mo.) Dealer Closes a Contract to Deliver Twelve Thousand Horses.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 15.—One of the largest single orders for horses ever given in the country has been placed with a buyer at the South St. Joseph horse and mule market. The contract calls for 12,000 horses, to be delivered at the rate of 500 per month, for 24 months. While the contract includes many varieties of animals, it is the general belief that the greater part of them are for the use of the British army in South Africa.

POSTED NOTICE OF ADVANCE.

The Scranton Railway Co. Offers a General Advance to Its Striking Employees.

Scranton, Pa., March 17.—The Scranton Railway Co. yesterday posted a notice of a general advance in wages. The advance was from 14 to 15 cents an hour. The new scale is from 17 1/2 to 19 1/2 cents an hour, the higher rate to be attained by three years' service.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

Matt B. Thurber, of Tecumseh, Neb., Has a System Invented and Operated by Himself.

Tecumseh, Neb., March 15.—Matt B. Thurber, a Tecumseh young man, has in operation here what he claims to be a system of wireless telegraphy. Mr. Thurber claims he can send messages for several blocks through houses, brick walls and the like. He made the transmitters and receivers himself, including the large steel plate apparatus to be used in the building in connection with the receivers.

Injuries Proved Fatal.

St. Joseph, Mo., March 15.—A special to the Daily News from Seneca, Kas., says: Charles Aizer, one of the wealthiest farmers and stockmen in this part of the country, died from injuries received, a few days ago, by being thrown from a vehicle.

Princess Alice Gone to Potsdam.

The Hague, March 15.—Princess Alice of Albany started for Potsdam Friday. Gossip connects her visit with the reports of the betrothal of the princess to the crown prince of Germany, Frederick William.

Site For Sherman Statue.

New York, March 15.—A site for St. Gaudens statue of Gen. Sherman, presented to the city by the chamber of commerce, has been chosen by the park commission. It will be placed at the southeast entrance of Central park.

LORD METHUEN'S DEFEAT.

Gen. Kitchener Sends Further Particulars of the Fight Between Lord Methuen and the Boers.

London, March 17.—The war office has received the following communication from Lord Kitchener at Pretoria:

"Lord Methuen has sent me a staff officer with a dictated dispatch, from which it appears that certain particulars previously given are inaccurate. The rear screen of mounted troops was pushed and overthrown at dawn. There was a gap of a mile between the ox and the mule convoys. The mounted supports to the rear of the screen were sent. Methuen immediately reinforced by all the available mounted troops and a section of the Thirty-eighth battery maintained themselves for an hour, during which the convoys were closing up without disorder.

"At the last of the 200 infantry being disposed by Lord Methuen to resist the Boer attack, which was outflanking the left of the rear guard, the Boers pressed that attack hard and the mounted troops attempting to fall back on the infantry, got completely out of hand, carrying away with them in the rout the bulk of the mounted troops. The guns of the Thirty-eighth battery were thus left unprotected, but continued in action until every man, with the exception of Lieut. Nesham, was hit. Lieut. Nesham was called on to surrender, and upon refusing to do so, was killed.

"Lord Methuen, with 200 of the Northernmost Fusiliers and two guns, on the fourth day, then found himself isolated, but held on for three hours. During this period the remaining infantry, namely, 100 of the Lancashire, with close mounted men, mostly Cape police, who had occupied the kraal near the wagons, also continued to hold out against the repeated attacks of the Boers. This time Lord Methuen was wounded, and the casualties were exceedingly heavy among his men. The ammunition was mostly expended, and the surrender was made at about half-past nine in the morning.

"The party in the kraal still held out, and did not give in until two guns and a pom-pom were brought to bear upon them at about ten o'clock, making their position untenable.

"It is confirmed that most of the Boers wore khaki uniforms. Many also wore our badges. Even at close quarters they could not be distinguished from our own men.

"It is also the military tradition and the artillery kept up the traditions of the regiment. In addition to the 40 members of the Cape police already mentioned, a few parties of Imperial yeomanry and Cape police continued to hold their ground after the main bulk of the mounted troops of the field."

HIGH PRICED TEXAS STEERS.

A Bunch of Prize Grade Herefords Brings the Record Price in the St. Louis Market.

St. Louis, March 15.—Among the consignments of prize cattle from the Fort Worth show of last week to the market was a carload of 10 head that averaged 1,280 pounds, and brought \$85 per cent. on Monday's market. These cattle were raised and fed by Miss Geraldine Wilson, daughter of the well-known citizen, J. B. Wilson, Dallas, Tex. They were the best prize winners at the Fort Worth show in the aged class. They were a fine lot of grade Herefords, and in point of quality and flesh well deserving of the honor and price obtained. The figure paid is the highest ever paid on this or any other market for cattle from the state of Texas.

DORMITORY DESTROYED.

Bryn Mawr College Meets with serious Loss by Fire, Caused by Carelessness in Lighting a Lamp.

Philadelphia, March 17.—One of the dormitory buildings of Bryn Mawr college, an institution for the higher education of young ladies, was burned yesterday.

The college is located at Bryn Mawr, about ten miles from Philadelphia. The fire was caused by the upsetting of a lamp in the room of one of the students.

Evans Will Be Promoted.

Washington, March 17.—Commissioner Evans will, within the next few months at the latest, sever his connection with the pension bureau, to accept from the president a position, which will be a substantial promotion, but which has not yet been definitely selected.

Has Fled From Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 18.—Repeated threats to abduct his son, killed unless a ransom of \$25,000 was laid in a certain spot, and a warning that murder would follow the placing of detectives on the case, have caused Alexander R. Peacock, a prominent citizen, to remove his family to New York.

One Killed, Three Injured.

Mobile, Ala., March 18.—A Mobile & Ohio freight train was derailed at Orville, Sunday night, and Sam Forester, of Tupelo, Miss., was killed. His three companions, James Dyson, William Manly and Alexander Smith, were dangerously injured. They were riding in a box car.

Slave Dealers Killed and Captured.

Mozambique, Portuguese East Africa, March 19.—The Portuguese troops captured 160 slave dealers and killed 50 others at Pemba Bay, recently when the government forces attacked 12 strongholds of the slave dealers, and liberated 700 slaves.

Providence Paragraphs.

Owing to a fallen smoke-stack and a bursted fire, the shaft mine at this place was idle Friday and Saturday making the necessary repairs.

W. J. Nisbet and J. K. Orr went to Morganfield last Thursday.

Miss Nancy Taylor left for St. Louis last Thursday to make purchase of Spring millinery for the firm of the Misses Taylor.

Mrs. J. S. Head and daughter, Mrs. Geo. Russell, of Madisonville, are visiting relatives at this place. Mrs. J. B. Wilson and babe spent Thursday in Hanson.

Rev. B. M. Currie filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.

Miss Goldie Glanville, accompanied by her cousin, Master Grover, came in Friday afternoon, spending Saturday and Sunday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Glanville returned to Howell, Ind., Monday morning where she is attending school.

Mrs. Lillian Rudy and little daughter went to Madisonville Monday.

Mrs. T. L. Taylor and baby Rudy returned to their home at Madisonville Monday morning after a short visit to relatives here.

James Maloney, of Earlinton, visited his parents near town Sunday.

S. H. Williams went to Henderson Monday on business trip.

S. Hicks made a business trip to Earlinton Monday.

Paul Northern, the popular traveling representative of W. B. Belknap & Co., of Louisville, left on his trip Monday.

Frank C. Gore, who adds materially to the business of the Goodlow shoe Co., of St. Louis, left for headquarters Sunday morning.

Joseph Barber, one of our enterprising tobacco manufacturers, left this week to look after his interests on the other side of the "Big Pond," making his position untenable.

J. P. McCulliv, Tom McGraw and L. A. Morgan went to Henderson Monday on a business trip.

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IN THE INTEREST
OF THE

..Woman's Christian Temperance Union..

Edited by a White Ribboner.

The Madisonville W. C. T. U. extends a special invitation to the officers and members of the new unions at Slaughter'sville, Hanson, Nebo, Providence and Earlington to attend the meeting in Madisonville, next Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. They hope that all the officers at least, of these unions, and as many members beside who can do so, will make an effort to be present.

On Easter Sunday, March 30, an Easter service will be held in the new Methodist church in the morning.

In the afternoon and evening Miss Eva Marshall Shontz, National President of the Young People's Christian Temperance Union, will speak.

The Cincinnati Commercial Gazette says: "With the possible exception of Mrs. Ballington Booth, no woman who has visited Cincinnati in years is equal to Eva Marshall Shontz, in all the attributes that go to move the minds and hearts of men and women. While not lacking in humor, her forte is in presenting the tragic side of life, and upon this board she is master of every stop and key. Again and again her passionate pleading moved strong men to tears."

Dr. Henry Wade Rogers, Law Department, Yale University, says: "It is upon her that the mantle of Frances Willard seems to have fallen."

Wine, beer, coffee, tea and cigars through their active poisonous principles, enormously hinder the purification of the blood.—Edward B. Jackson, M.D.

A Bit of History.

In 1882, the first law in any state requiring the teaching of the physiological effects of alcohol upon the human system, was enacted in Vermont. This first statute was a very weak one, as it only specified that the effects of alcohol upon the body should be among the subjects required to be taught," but it was a start in the right direction.

The next state was Michigan, which in 1883 passed a law requiring the effects of alcohol to be taught "to all pupils in all schools." In 1884, Rhode Island and New York enacted statutes similar to that of Michigan.

In 1885, the legislature of Pennsylvania passed a law declaring that the effects of alcoholic drinks and other narcotics should be included "in each division of the subject of physiology and hygiene." A further stipulation was made that this subject should "be studied as a regular branch." To this state belongs the honor of affixing the first penalty for a non-compliance with its provisions.

During this same year, 1885, "scientific temperance instruction" laws were passed in Maine, Alabama, Wisconsin, Kansas, Nebraska, Oregon, Missouri and Nevada.

In 1886, the national law was passed by Congress requiring that the study be pursued "with

text-books in the hands of pupils," and including the other strong provisions of the Pennsylvania law. This, the first temperance law ever enacted by Congress, cost Mrs. Hunt, the originator of such a law, ten months of tireless labor at the national Capitol, in which the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the whole country participated.

The same year, 1886, Connecticut, Maryland and Iowa passed similar laws. In 1887, West Virginia, Colorado, and Minnesota passed strong laws, Delaware a weak one and California one containing the penalty and "all pupils' clauses.

In 1888, Louisiana passed the first strong law with the South; Ohio, a law with the penalty clause, and Florida, Illinois and Montana following in 1889.

In 1890, the two Dakotas on becoming states, retained on becoming states, retained on their statute books the main points of the national law. Washington, Wyoming and Idaho on becoming states, enacted similar laws.

In 1891, North Carolina passed a law containing all the strong clauses. In 1892, Mississippi followed, but with a weaker statute.

In 1893, the Connecticut law was amended to contain the strong specifications and Texas and Kentucky passed weak laws.

In 1894, New Jersey passed a strong law. In 1895, South Carolina, Tennessee and Indiana entered the circle. In 1896, the New York law was strongly amended and in 1897, the law in Illinois.

In 1898 Utah, in 1899 Arkansas, in 1900 Virginia, and late in 1901 Georgia, completed the list, leaving no state or territory in the United States without some form of temperance education legislation.

When we reflect that these scientific temperance instruction laws affect to a greater or less extent, the destiny of every child born in this country, for generations to come, we are overwhelmed at the magnitude of their influence for good. Then, when we realize that if the earnest, cultured woman, in whose brain such a law was first conceived, lived in Kentucky, she would now be disfranchised, deprived of the right to name her choice in the selection of officers to enforce the law, we confess a feeling of deep humiliation.

Kentucky has taken a long step backward in the last legislature, by withdrawing from women the morsel of suffrage which they possessed. Because some colored women in a single town engaged in a brawl on one election day, the voice of such women as Mrs. Frances E. Beauchamp, Miss Laura Clay, Mrs. Mary W. Bender and hundreds of other noble, consecrated women devoting their lives to the highest interests of the children in the public schools of the state, must be silenced. On how many election days have men engaged in brawls? Not only

colored men, but white men. Tell it not in Gath. What a spasm of virtue must have attacked the wisecracks who voted for the repeal of this law. If they would only be consistent and disfranchise all individuals who engage in brawls on election day, they would really be rendering the state some service for the salaries they receive, but in the act they have committed, they have done the children in the public schools incalculable injury. We certainly could not hope for the passage of an anti-cigarette law by a legislature taking this backward step.

If, however, any of these fossils is deluding himself with the idea that these two questions are settled, he is a wonderfully mistaken man. Mrs. Hoffman, one of her masterly addresses in Madisonville said, "No question is ever settled until it is settled right." As surely as the sun rises in the East, the time is coming when in Kentucky less thought will be given to whisky and horses and more to the moral and physical welfare of the children of the state; when women will not only have a voice in the selection of our law-makers, but will occupy seats in the House of Assembly and in the Senate Chamber.

"Gentlemen may cry, 'Peace, peace,'" but there will be no peace, until the time has come. Then the manufacturers of and dealers in cigarettes will take down their signs and close their shutters.

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German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boesche, a celebrated German physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boesche's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75c. at St. Bernard Dispensary. Get Green's Special Almanac.

SEBREE ITEMS.

L. I. Vaughn went to Madisonville Tuesday afternoon.

J. W. Melton was in Evansville Wednesday.

Miss Etta Bailey and Huston Parker went to St. Louis Monday. Miss Etta goes to visit her sister and Mr. Parker to purchase his spring stock of dry goods.

Miss Narcissa Johnson, of Greenville, Miss., is visiting the Misses Kinkadees of the First National.

Mr. Hancock, of Waverly, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jas. Cobb, this week.

Misses Laura and Greck Miller passed through our town a few days ago en route from Florida, to Marion, Ill., where they will open a millinery store.

Mr. John Wright has moved his family here from Dresser, Ill., and will make this his home again.

Mr. Andrew Quarry, of Sullivan, was in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cobb are visiting in the Mt. Pleasant neighborhood this week.

Harmon Vaughan is in Beech Grove this week with the Cumberland Telephone Co.

Misses Agnes and Birdie Wingham have returned from St. Louis where they have been in school.

Mrs. Ann Brown and Mrs. Liss Grant, of Hanson, were in town a few days last week.

Mrs. Nolia Vaughan was in Hanson a few days last week. Mrs. Ezra Vaughan has returned from Henderson.

Dr. Parker was in Henderson Tuesday.

Mr. Rad Tapp, of near Manito, visited his son, Lonie, Tuesday.

BEST FOR THE
BOWELS

KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

The protracted meeting has closed at the Christian church.

Miss Verna Bailey is day operator at the Cumberland this week.

Mr. Frank James has accepted the position as night operator at the Independent exchange.

Mr. D. H. Sharp and little Miss Nell Miller were in Earlington one day this week.

The Holiness people will commence a meeting Wednesday night at their church.

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, improve your appetite and make you feel like a new man. They are easy to take, being sugar coated, and pleasant in effect. For sale by St. Bernard Dispensary, Earlington; B. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; George King, St. Charles.

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The work is all in water colors. The ceiling is divided into eight large panels, which in turn are divided into one large and two small panels.

In the top panels are garlands of roses and wreaths of holy wild with yellow ribbons. In the lower panels are Gothic symbols, with some pretty floral ornaments. In the center is a Gothic border, then a moulding, a small border, a Gothic cross with a centrepiece of pure gold leaf. The wood work is finished in zinc.

Four panels are in blue, red, green, dark and light lavender, making harmony by contrast. Four are in shades of red and orange, harmony by analogy. Each centrepiece is different, consisting of hearts, cross, crown, anchor, crown of thorns, monograms and others.

On account of the scaffolding, we could not see the sanctuary, which is different from the church, being richer and the ornaments in free hand relief.

Every Mother Knows

how hard it is to keep the children covered up at night. They will kick the quilts off and take cold. Do not give them medicines containing opium. Allen's Long Balding, free from narcotic drugs, is never more useful than when it rids the children of cold and saves the mother's anxiety. It makes a friend of everyone who uses it.

Notice

To the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Earlington and Nebo charge.

Dear Brethren and Sisters: If possible, please remit to me by next Sunday night your assessments on the Conference Connectional Claims.

The treasurers of some of these boards are required to report before the session of the General Conference, in May. Let's do all we can to meet the demands of our loved Methodism. Ours is a godly heritage. Therefore give unto the Lord as he has prospered you.

I shall fill my regular appointments at Earlington and Nebo Sunday, God willing, and hope you may all be ready to report by that time.

You have been commendably good in your financial reports for your place, be equally as good toward the charitable institutions of your church, and may God bless you in the work. Lovingly,

YOUR PASTOR.



Best for the Bowels. Beware of the dealer who tries to sell "something just as good."

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Girl baby born 18th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Favors. Mother and child doing well.

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On Sunday, when a man is supposed to rest, he is kept busy moving out of places where his wife wants to sweep.

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LEE OLDHAM

WHICH PATH WOULD YOU TAKE?

Reply to Timmie's "Which Path Would You Take?" in Earlington Bee of February.

If we could go o'er life's journey again, We would not follow the path of woe;

We'd not burden our souls with heartache pain, Knowing what we do! No, Timmie, no.

You ask, Timmie, which path we'd take? We'd take the path that's noble and good;

We'd not make life's journey a mistake. We could follow the right path if we would.

If we'd follow the path that is fair, And not grieve about in the gloom, We'd not have disappointments and care

In this life or beyond the tomb. If we had chosen our lot,

Which was sweet to see, And indeed we find it not What we had hoped to see.

We'd not blame others for woes hard to bear, And talk of days of troubles apace,

If our minds are at peace, all is fair.

If our souls and hearts are innocent.

["Malice," in Fairview Review.]

Lost.

Lady's pocket book, between Crenshaw's store and Mrs. Colbert's corner on Railroad street. Book contained \$5.20 in money and some notes. Finder will please return to Crenshaw's store and receive suitable reward.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bromwell a girl baby at 3 p.m. last Thursday. Both mother and child doing well.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON XII, FIRST QUARTER, INTERNATIONAL SERIES, MARCH 23.

Text of the Lesson, Eph. v. 11-21. Memory Verses, 15-18-Golden Text, Eph. v. 18-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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11, 12. "Have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness." This week's study in this epistle and the next on the resurrection need not necessarily break the continuity of our study of the acts of the apostles, for in all the Scriptures we have the things concerning Him of whom Philip speaks to the church and whom we must see as the center of every lesson. In this epistle we are, as one has said, taken into the presence chamber of the King and made acquainted with His secret counsels and purposes concerning us. Only as we by faith enter into His love and purposes will we be delivered from the works of darkness mentioned in chapter iv, 31; I Cor. vi, 9, 10; Gal. v, 19-21. Intemperance, as a greatly understood, is one of the many works of darkness, but the child of God should be free from all if he would know the joy of being a child of the Lord Almighty (II Cor. vi, 14-18).

13, 14. "Awake thou that sleepest and arise from the dead and Christ shall give thee light." The "awake" is a word of heavy sleep on the Mount of Transfiguration and actually sleeping in Gethsemane, show us that the joy of the favored believers may be indifferent to the great things of God and how this cry, "Awake thou that sleepest," may apply to us all.

15, 16. "See, then, that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil." The Revised Version has on these two verses either in the text or the margin "Look therefore carefully how ye walk," "being up to the mark." The life of the believer is spoken of as a continual dying to self, an overcoming, a conflict, a race (I Cor. ix, 24; John v, 4, 5; Eph. vi, 12; Heb. xii, 1), but in this epistle and elsewhere it is also called "a walk." In the climax in I Cor. x, 3, the walking—that is, the steady plodding—is more difficult than the mounting on wings or the running. We are entrusted to walk worthy of our vocation, not as other gentiles walk, to walk in love, as children of light, to walk worthy of God, who hath called us unto His kingdom and glory (Eph. i, 17, v, 2, 8; I Thess. ii, 12). As to buying up the opportunities if we had the seal of unscrupulous business men, who for their own gain make corners in even the necessities of life, how much might be accomplished in the service of Christ? If we walked as Christians (I John ii, 6), all would be well, but who is sufficient? Our sufficiency is of God (II Cor. iii, 6).

17. "Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is." It is not the will of God that any should perish, for He will have all to be saved and has made full provision for the same (II Pet. iii, 9; I Tim. ii, 4; John iii, 16). When sinners are saved, He desires that they should be holy and so fully yield to Him that they may prove in daily life how good and acceptable and perfect His will is (I Thess. ii, 12; Rom. xii, 1, 2). Our blessed Lord could truly say "I seek not mine own will," "I delight to do thy will, O my God" (John iv, 34; v, 30; vi, 38; Ps. xl, 8).

18. "Be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess, but be filled with the Spirit." Drunkenness belongs to the unfruitful works of darkness; to be filled with the Spirit is the privilege of every child of light. Wine stimulates and exhilarates, but the Holy Spirit stimulates supernaturally; the one is for self, the other for God. There is a drunkenness that does not come from wine or strong drink (Isa. xxi, 9), but is just as much the work of the adversary. Only that which is of God through Christ gives light and life; all that is not of God causes stupor and drunkenness, and the manifestation of the flesh as we only can give life, so God only can live in us the life He desires, and He is pleased to do this by His Spirit, therefore the necessity of being filled with the Spirit by whom alone the life can be lived.

19. "Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord." A drunken man is apt to make himself known by his noisy talk or ribald song, but a Spirit-filled person, having true melody in his heart, will sing unto the Lord. Each proclaims his master by that which comes from the abundance of his heart. In Col. iii, 16, we have the same result from the word of Christ dwelling richly in us; therefore, according to an axiom which says that things that are equal to the same thing are equal to one another, there is probably some connection between being filled with the Spirit and filled with the word of God. We know that the Spirit has written the word, and the Spirit is the word, and the word of God, the Lord Jesus, is the embodiment and manifestation of the written word. If we would be filled by the Spirit and need by the Spirit, let us lay up His word diligently in our hearts (Isa. xl, 10, 11).

20. "Giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ." In I Thess. v, 18, it is written "In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you." How earnestly we should covet to be filled with the Spirit since He alone can live this holy and beautiful life in us! "He who spared not His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not, with Him, also freely give us all things?" (Rom. viii, 32), and since "God is love" and has so loved us, He cannot give us anything that is not love, so we will thank Him for all things if we believe this. Mrs. Bottomo tells of two waiters whom she saw accidentally jostle one another, the one thereby spilling some hot water on the other, who meekly replied, "Never mind, it is in the hands of a lady whom I know told me that having spilled a bottle of ink on her carpet she was able to take it meekly and as part of His will."

21. "Submitting yourselves one to another in the fear of God." Some one has said that submission is the highest mission on earth, higher than home or foreign missions, and that unless one has learned it is not fit for missionary service anywhere. In His life at Nazareth, in His baptism, in His public ministry and in His sufferings our Lord fully manifested this grace of the Spirit. As we can only show our love to God by our love to others, so we can only manifest true submission to God by submission to others.

OUR COLORED CITIZENS.

Many of the sick are much improved.

The young ladies gave a banquet Saturday evening. A pleasant time is reported.

Mr. Wm. Haley and Miss Clara Johnson were married at the Baptist church Thursday evening.

Bro. Wm. Johnson, who has been suffering from a severe cough, has resumed his duties at the residence of Mr. J. B. Atkinson.

Miss Lizzie Hamilton of Morton Gap was here Saturday and Sunday visiting friends.

Mr. Wm. Bailey returned to Louisville to enter State University, Sunday morning.

SCHOOL NOTES. Trustee Garrett went to Madisonville Tuesday on important school business.

The statement of the divine concerning the deportment and future of our public school, created a little sensation in the pedagogical circle, and was answered in the Major by one of its brilliant correspondents by saying, "He hasn't visited many schools in the State." Well, since "Lillies need no paint, and refined gold needs no gilding," we submit this simple agreement. If that correspondent can point to a school in a town of this size in the State that is better or as well furnished and provided for as this, we will wash, and if he cannot, let him hush. As for deportment that con-

respondent is not prepared to speak, as he don't know.

In most towns in the State the women and children figure largely in making the support. In Earlington, St. Charles, Morton's Gap and Hecla the men make the support; hence 75 per cent of the children of these towns should attend school regularly, where there is only 50 per cent. Mothers, you will not always have this opportunity to educate your children.

G. S. Wilcox, of Trenton, is in the city with tailoring samples.

The temperance meeting of the Christian Endeavor was a glorious victory. The sentiment of the Endeavor is, Be temperate in the use of things that are good for the body and to the glory of God, but abstain from the use of sinful things, such as intoxicants and tobacco, totally. Pastor Gough denounced the use of fermented wine for communion services and declares that only unfermented wine should be used for that service.

A good Shepherd will give the sheep what they need, not what they want.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of Presiding Elder Selectman takes place this evening. The citizens should feel complimented by having the honor of celebrating this occasion, as Rev. Selectman is a man of spotless reputation and has been pastor of the church here and its presiding elder for nearly six years.

The best way to be happy is to

make others happy. Our Lord is good, the evil as well as the good; now cannot we be good to the good? Let us make the Rev. think that he is a young groom again "just for tonight."

That minister who preaches a part of the commandments of God and sneers at the rest or speaks discouragingly of those who are trying to keep all, is a traitor to his God, himself and his fellow man. Jesus says, "Observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you and lo I am with you always even to the end of the world." Matt. 28:20. He commanded them to be perfect. Matt. 5:48.

MORTONS GAP NOTES. Protracted meeting is being conducted here by Rev. Wm. Dieker. Matilda Bowling and Sallie Grady are improving slowly.

L. P. McNary, of Madisonville, visited here on business last week. Chas. McClell, Ulysses Hays, Jim Merriweather, Ernest Nolen, Edgar Johnson and Robert Childs were in town last Sunday.

Jim Marten and wife have moved to Hopkinsville to make that place their home for awhile.

We wonder what is the matter with F. O.

L. Hamilton visited Earlington Saturday.

Lizzie Sheridan, of Hopkinsville, who has been visiting friends here, returned home Saturday.

M. B. says a girl's will is the wind's will. We wonder why.

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LOUISVILLE, - - KY.

Mrs. A. Wright, of Earlington, is the guest of Tine Southall.

Mary Patterson and Sarah Thompson are convalescent.

Be polite to strangers.

Aaron Dulin and George Thompson, of this place, were happily married at Madisonville at the home of the bride's parents Thursday last.

A. F. Vaughn and Lucia Bass eloped to Springfield, Tenn., and were married Friday, March 14.

AUTHOR OF "ULYSSES."

Succeeded Where Tennyson and Browning Failed.

Stephen Phillips, author of the Homeric poem "Ulysses," which is the dramatic success of the season in London, is the foremost of the younger generation of England's poets. A point of interest about Stephen Phillips is that he has succeeded where Tennyson and Browning failed—he has written a poetic drama that can be successfully acted.

"Ulysses" is a real play as well as real poetry, a conjunction not often attained. Instinct with high poetry conveyed in melodious verse, it was in-



STEPHEN PHILLIPS.

stantly successful. The first edition was sold out within ten days of publication.

Stephen Phillips is now in his thirty-fourth year. He is a typical Englishman, fond of outdoor sports, an enthusiastic cricketer and a popular member of the English clubs. He is said to be free from the eccentricities with which geniuses are usually provided.

It is worthy of notice that Mr. Phillips inherits his poetical temperament from his mother, who was related to Wordsworth and the Loyds, Charles Lamb's literary friends. His first realization of his rich inheritance came to him in his fifteenth year, when his mother read aloud to him Coleridge's "Christabel," and from that time he determined to be a poet.

From 1886 to 1892 he followed the profession of actor, appearing in many Shakespearean roles. Since his retirement he has spent all of his time in the hard work which, contrary to popular belief, is necessary to the production of a work which a man of genius intends to submit to the test of time.

Through the instrumentality of the late Queen Victoria, Mr. Phillips was placed on England's civil list, and so, in a measure at least, is relieved from the cares of money making, which perhaps is fortunate, for, like many literary men, he is not fond of exercising his business ability.

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